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By Michael Isikoff





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## Help Perot Free America From the Old Parties' Stranglehold



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| In Surplus <br> Compiled of Our Sunff Froma Dispucties BEIJING - China's current-accent in 1991 to S13.3 billion, fueling a big jump in the country's ing to govermment frgures cited by the China Daily on Wednesplay. The current-account surplus in 1990 was 59 billion. <br> "China's internationsa balanoe of mays ambitions to increase imporis and better service its foreign debis in à more favorable light" the o English-language paper said. Engina's foreign-currency reserves increasea last year, to $\$ 42.66$ bilion, the newspaper said. Of this, 521.7 billion represents state reserves and $\$ 20.95$ billion are in bank deposits belonging largely to bosinesses. The surplus in merchandise trade narrowed to $\$ 2.55$ billion in the first half of this year, from S3.63 billion a year earlier, the paper said. Imports rose 23.4 percent to $\$ 33.06$ billion, while exports grew 17.3 percent to $\$ 35.61$ bilion. The newspaper said the government ever the nexi five years. That indicates it plans to tightly controt If imports were mainrained at the first half's pace, the five-year total would exceed $\$ 300$ billion. China's sorpluses have caused friction with esterates it will rim a 515 billion deficit with China this year, and has threatened to impose tariff penalties if China open its markets wider. Meanwhile the National Information Center, an official research body. preceicted that China's priup witb shrinking state-sector industrial outpur by the year 2000. Privale bisinesses are forecast to produce at quastier of indosstrial 11.8 percent in I991, whilite publicsector natpur would be 27.2 percen df the cotal, down from about hal Last year. $\quad(A F P$. Reuners $A P)$  <br> Very briefly: <br> - Sega Enterprises Led, the video-game maker, said it intendid: to profits until the financial year ending March 31, 1995 . <br> - Federal Express Corp, the U.S. parcel-delivery company, subimitiod a Malaysig's federal government has resolved a dispute with Keranain state, which halted work on a 1.3 billion ringgit ( 5520.5 mithon) dima being built by Trifager Honse PLC - New Zealands gross domestic product declined 1.2 percent in the year ended March 31, though output in the latest quarter was up I. 1 percenit. - Asahi Breweries Itd lowered its parent carrent profit forecast for, Elier balf-year ended June 30,1992 to 8.00 bilion yen ( 564 million), fromiz: February forecast of 8.60 billion yen. <br> - Sharp Corp is not looking for new acquisitions and expects a 6 perovit to 7 percent decline in 1992 profit over 1991, due to ecionomic wedhtessin the United States and Japan, said the company's president, Hario Tsait - Hai Hoag Holdings Co stock opened 168.3 percent above its issuepprice on its frst day of trading in Hong Kong; shares in the China-controffed price of 1.50 , and quickly rose to 4.425 dollars. <br> - Hong Koang Fortune Lid, a real estate concern, said is wond isspene 99.3. milifon new shares at 2.80 Hong Kong dollars each to its controling - CIIIC Pacific Lath, China's main listed iivestment vehicie in Hoing shares in Hoog Kong's international airline. Cafthon Pacific Arviays. |  |
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